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PATENT

Case No.: 10022/040

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )

Scott R. Sargent )

Serial No.: 09/676,580 )

Filed: September 29, 2000 )

For: ENVIRONMENT SERVICE )  
ARCHITECTURES FOR NETCENTRIC )  
COMPUTING SYSTEMS )

Group Art Unit: 2154

Examiner: Larry D. Donaghue

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated February 23, 2005, for a period of three (3) month(s).

☒ Applicant:

☐ claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

☒ is other than small entity

	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00

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☐ Five Months \$2,160.00 \$1,080.00

**Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☒ Charge Petition fee of \$1020.00 to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
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## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

☒ PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (2 pgs.); TRANSMITTAL (in duplicate - 2 pgs.)

Fee calculation:

- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☒ An extension fee in an amount of **\$1020.00** for a **three(3)**-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(\_\_\_\_).
- ☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$25=			x \$50=	
Indep.		Minus			x 100=			x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$180=			+ \$360=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

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- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$1020.00. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

AUG 22, 2005  
 Date

Sanders N. Hillis  
 Sanders N. Hillis (Reg. No. 45,712)